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IN RE APPLICATION OF :
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FOR: CONTENTS DISTRIBUTION SYSTEM, :
INFORMATION PROCESSING APPARATUS
OR METHOD, AND COMPUTER PROGRAM

RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

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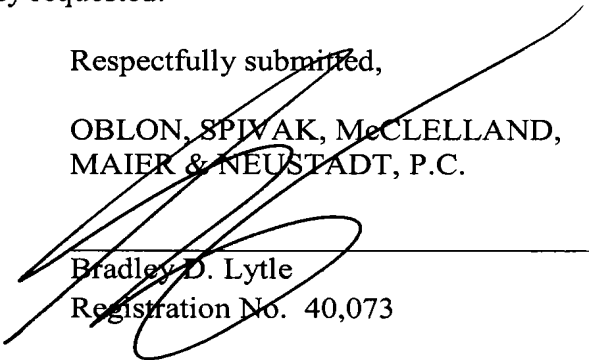
SIR:

In response to the Restriction Requirement dated July 24, 2008, Applicants elect, without traverse, invention I, Claims 1-8, drawn to system for distributing content, classified in class 705, subclass 59, for further examination on the merits. Applicants reserve the right to file one or more divisional applications directed to the non-elected species.

Accordingly, examination on the merits of Claims 1-8 is believed to be in order and an early and favorable action is respectfully requested.

Respectfully submitted,

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